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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be rolled upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

Joseph F. Cole is confined to his home on Elm Street by a severe cold.

The Andover Working Girls' Club has adjourned till autumn.

Memorial Services in the Baptist Church, at seven o'clock next Sunday evening.

Rev. F. W. Klein last Sunday morning preached at the German Presbyterian Church of Lawrence.

Bradford Cummings has the contract to erect Justin Clark's new house on Maple Avenue.

The Brookline Blue Flame Oil Stove used by the New Era Cooking School was furnished by E. C. Pike, Great Street.

A large audience should greet Mrs. Livermore in the Town Hall, Monday morning, whose abilities as a speaker are well known.

Remember that to-morrow afternoon Barnett Rogers sells the J. M. Bradley estate at public auction. A rare chance to secure desirable house lots is offered.

O. E. Chase has offered a box of cigars to the better of the Andover Cricket Club, making the best average during the season of 1897.

All donors of flowers for Decoration Day are kindly requested to bring them to the Lower Town Hall not later than nine o'clock Monday morning.

Yesterday being the Feast of the Ascension, special services were held at Christ Church and also at St. Augustine's Church.

Leon G. Saunders, who pitched so successfully for us in the class game Wednesday, is a son of John Saunders, our well known townsman, Essex Street.

Raymond L. Buchan will take part in the Shaw Dedication in Boston, Memorial Day, with Company L, the crack company of the Eighth Regiment.

The Andover Social Club base-ball nine was again defeated Saturday in a close game by the West Ends of Lawrence, the score being 11-9 in favor of the latter.

Those who did not purchase a cook book at the New Era Cooking School, can obtain one at the Andover Bookstore where they are for sale.

Hardy & Cole's men have placed a new pole at Memorial Hall a most fitting place to fly the Stars and Stripes. They have also placed the pole on the Town House in position.

William E. Gledhill, who went West during the winter for his health, returned to town Tuesday. Mr. Gledhill's condition has not been much benefited by the change.

Miss Ellen Stone of Bulgaria gave a very interesting address at the meeting of the Young Ladies Society of Christian workers in the South Church, Tuesday afternoon.

William Driscoll has sold his house on Summer Street to John Howell, who will move it on to his land on the new Street. Mr. Driscoll intends to build a new house at the place of the old one.

Albert M. Bancroft, who appealed a sentence of two months for drunkenness, imposed by Judge Poor some time ago, pleaded guilty of the offense in the Superior Court and his case was placed on file.

At the Christian Endeavor meeting at the South Church last Sunday evening, Ensign Yates of Lawrence, gave a very interesting account of the origin, history and work of the Salvation Army.

Miss Mary F. Mason and her Sunday school class enjoyed a picnic at Sunset Rock last Saturday afternoon. The time was pleasantly spent in games and gathering wild flowers.

The friends of Miss J. L. Greeley, for a number of years a successful and popular teacher at Abbot Academy, will be pleased to learn that she has just been graduated at the Woman's Medical college in New York, and is now an M. D.

Andover Council No. 65, Royal Arcanum will give a reception to Grand Regent Charles W. Clark and his associate officers of the Grand council, on Friday evening, June 4, at 7:45 in Odd Fellows Hall, Musgrove Building. All members of the council are invited to be present.

The Punched School base-ball nine defeated the Stowe School nine Tuesday afternoon in a very one sided contest the score being 30 to 6 at the end of five innings. Monday the Punched boys will play the Cuban Giants a local colored club.

Rev. Dr. McConnell of Brooklyn, who will preach at Christ Church next Sunday morning, is one of the Preachers of Harvard University. He is also the author of "The History of the Episcopal Church in America" and one of the ablest clergymen of his church.

Rev. F. A. Wilson delivered a very impressive and instructive sermon to the Boys' Brigade Company in the church last Sunday evening. There was a large attendance at the services. Mr. Wilson impressed upon the company the great necessity of active warfare against the powers of evil which battle against us on every hand. The company rendered two marching songs during the exercises.

"It is the Best on Earth."

That is what Edwards & Parker, merchants of Plains, Ga., says of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, for rheumatism, lame back, deep seated and muscular pains. Sold by Arthur Bliss, Andover, O. H. Shattuck, Ballard Vale, Murphy's Drug Store, North Andover.

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The G. A. R. invites all soldiers and sailors in town to participate in the Memorial Day exercises.

Extensive repairs and an addition are being made on the J. Tyler Kimball house on School Street.

Alexander Dick, Cuba street, who has been confined to his home by illness is able to be out again.

Work has been begun on the cellar for Dr. Scott's new residence on Main Street.

The boot and shoe repair shop in the Musgrove building, occupied by Morris Cohen, has been discontinued, the latter having left town.

Representative Odlin voted in the minority against the measure reducing the 30 years' lease at 5 cent fares of the "L" to 20 years in the House Tuesday.

The Andover Cricket Club will hold its monthly meeting in the Club House, Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

Chas. L. White, superintendent of Harland Mills and John Blagden of Lawrence are enjoying a week's fishing at Enfield, Me.

The season base-ball tickets are good for admission only at the Lawrenceville game next Wednesday on the F. A. campus at 3 o'clock.

Rev. Selah Merrill, D. D., at the Baptist Church, last Sunday morning preached an interesting sermon on "Christlike Lives," as illustrated in some notable examples.

A. B. Sparrow the publisher of direct-ories is to canvass Andover and No. Andover right away for another edition of his directory. It will be a residential and business directory, contain a map and be sold for 75 cents.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the West Church, on Wednesday evening elected the following officers: President, Miss Ella Holt; Vice president, Mrs. Geo. Ward; Secretary, Arthur Whitton; Treasurer, Miss Edith Abbott.

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Abbot Academy will be preached Sabbath morning, June 30, in the South Church, by Rev. Wm. E. Wolcott of Lawrence. The Anniversary address will be given by Rev. Wm. H. Davis D.D., of Newton.

It gives us much pleasure to say that the Abbot Academy Piano Recitals will be given as usual next autumn. Mr. Downes in correspondence with Madam Drummerville, Mass., first of June, said Mr. and Mrs. Max Heinrich will of course be included. If possible a singer will assist at Mrs. Paur's concert.

A very pleasant dance was given in the Punched Hall last Friday evening by the senior class of the school. The officers of the evening were: Floor director, Edward W. White; aids, Timothy Cullinan, Stuart L. Smith, Ralph Baldwin and Ben. Smith, Jr. Miss Dorn, Miss Norris, Miss Carter and Miss Pond acted in the capacity of matrons.

A grand entertainment and strawberry festival will be given in aid of St. Augustine Church, in Town Hall, Thursday evening, June 10th. Tickets 50 and 25 cents. The contest for gold watch between Miss Nellie Shes of Andover and Miss Annie Mc Govern of Ballardvale, is creating much interest, as both young ladies are quite popular. It is hoped the entertainment will be well patronized.

The memorial window given by the graduating class of Phillips Academy has been put in place in the School Chapel. The design is of a Roman soldier in full armor and above is the motto: "In Limbo Foris." Friday morning at chapel A. H. Richardson presented the window to the school in behalf of the class of '97, and Principal Bancroft responded. A. A. '98 gave a similar window to the school.

John Fraser and Charles Murphy, who have been in the employment of Harber Beas, will start out as tonorial artists on their own "hook" next week. They have secured and fitted up the store in the Howell Block, on Park Street, formerly occupied by H. A. Bussardell, as a barber shop with all the latest furnishings. Both young men are well known in town, are adepts at their business and will undoubtedly draw a good share of the trade.

The photograph of a "Southern Cake Walk," which has been exhibited in Geo. A. Higgins & Co.'s window for the past week was kindly lent by Joseph W. Smith, who has recently returned from a trip to the South. It was taken by the enterprising photographer C. F. Ray of Asheville, North Carolina. It will remain for a time so that all the local readers of the TOWNSMAN may have an opportunity of seeing it. There are also some other Southern views by the same photographer.

Tuesday evening the members of the local Grange held a very interesting debate on the question, Resolved, "That the new methods of instruction in our Public Schools are superior to the old." The subject was ably discussed by both sides, Miss Charlotte Flint, Miss Clara Putnam and Thomas E. Rhodes supporting the affirmative while Warren Moore, Henry Boynton and John Morrill spoke for the negative with the result that the latter won. The judges who gave their decision in favor of the old methods of instruction in "reading, writing and ciphering" were Messrs. Gillen, Putnam and Averill.

The annual Andover-Exeter athletic tournament comes off to-morrow afternoon on the upper campus at 2:30 o'clock. These teams have not met since 1892, the rupture between the two schools coming at that time over Powers of Exeter. Andover has won every meet with Exeter and despite the defeat at Worcester last Saturday Capt. Richardson and his men will make every effort to keep the record clean. Andover has probably the advantage on the track, with the field events about equal, although Ellis should win the hammer throw and shot put if he comes anywhere near his records. The admission to the games will be 50 cents.

Rev. C. LeVorne Roberts, the new pastor of Ballardvale's Methodist Church, will occupy the Baptist pulpit next Sunday morning, in exchange with the pastor.

The Booth-Tuckers at Abbot Academy.

Saturday evening, May 22, Commander and Mrs. Booth-Tucker spoke to the students of Abbot Academy and a large number of the women of Andover who were present at the service. Mrs. Tucker possesses rare power as a speaker and held her hearers by her magnetism and earnestness. The Commander gave an interesting account of his connection with the Salvation Army. Mrs. Tucker's private secretary, Brigadier Lewis, who was educated as an opera singer, added much to the impressiveness of the meeting by her sacred songs.

Base Ball.

Worcester Technology was easily defeated last Saturday afternoon on the campus by the Academy nine by a score of 15 to 3. Andover took the lead early and the visitors were really never in the game. In the second they scored two runs, the only ones made by them during the game. French and Pingree led as the last for Andover getting 4 with a total of 7 and 3 singles respectively. Waddell and Chapman played the best fielding game.

The score by innings:
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Andover, 0 2 0 0 0 3 1 15 15
Worcester, 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 3

The class of '98 won the annual game from '99 on the campus Wednesday afternoon, 11 to 6. The event occasioned a great deal of noise and ball playing under the circumstances was decidedly difficult. '98 however played the most for game and had the lead all through. Saunders, who pitched for the winners played a splendid game and to his coolness and fine pitching '98 owes much of its victory. He did not strike out as many as Wents, but hits were not coming when wanted.

Drum corps, cannon, fire crackers and revolvers were used to cheer and rattle and at times the din was deafening.

The teams paraded the streets previous to the game and '98 celebrated its victory in the evening. The score by innings:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
'98 0 2 4 3 3 0 0 11 9
'99 0 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 0

Batteries '98, Saunders and Fish. '99 Wents and Curre.

The Lawrenceville base ball nine plays its annual game with Phillips Andover on Wednesday, Wednesday afternoon. Of the four contests with that school Andover has won three losing for the first time last year. The good showing made by the local team this season gives the impression that another victory will be added to the list.

The Fire Alarm

A very successful test of the new fire alarm system was made last Saturday afternoon and at the close, after five hours trial everything was found to be in perfect working order. The strokes on the engine house bell and the blasts of the whistle at the Tye Rubber Factory were given with great precision and the boxes rang in their numbers with perfect distinction. All over town the alarms were clearly heard even with wind against the signals.

Many persons in town are ignorant of the method used to pull in an alarm, the following rules will be found simple but ample:

It case of fire always go to the box nearest the fire, break the glass and unlock the door by turning the hand to the right: Pull down the projecting hook to the end of the slot and let go. If you do not hear a small bell striking the alarm within, nor the signal given on the engine house close the door and go to the next nearest box, open the door in the same manner and wait thirty seconds; if you do not hear a small bell in that box pull the hook down the same as in the first box. It is important that the person pulling in the alarm should remain at the box until the arrival of the fire department so that the latter can be directed to the fire.

Other signals will be given by the alarm as follows: Two strokes after an alarm of fire signifies that the fire is out or under control; 1-1-1 repeated once at 8:30 A.M. and 1 P.M. at a signal for no school; two strokes at 12 noon is for a test stroke.

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LIVE TOPICS IN NEW YORK.

Strike of the Garment Workers, and the
Industrial and Economic Principles In-
volved. A Great Organization for
Better and Cheaper Houses is
successful at the start.

[SPECIAL TO THE TOWNSMAN.]

NEW YORK, MAY 26, 1897.

The great garment worker's strike inaugurated over a week ago by the United Brotherhood of Tailors, is daily assuming larger proportions. The participants now number nearly 40,000 and at the present writing the strike threatens to involve all of the important manufacturing cities of the East. Philadelphia, Brooklyn, and Newark garment workers have already quit work, and the strike leaders in this city state emphatically that the tailors of Boston, Syracuse, Rochester and other industrial centers will follow in line with their fellow workers here. Should this prediction be fulfilled, 80,000 men and women would become idle and the industry would be almost completely tied up. The strike is an extraordinary and interesting one from many standpoints. It involves questions closely connected with industrial and economic principles. For this reason it is of unusual importance.

While there is not the slightest doubt of the perfect right of the men to quit work, the strike had no specific incentive, no special demands having been made or refused. Without any preliminary notice, 12,000 workers went out and 30,000 more were idle before any demands had been formulated. Thousands of others have been steadily leaving, before the manufacturers could have by any possibility had time to consider the worker's demands. This unusual procedure is explained by the furious eagerness of the typical East side worker to join in a strike. Notwithstanding the inevitable suffering, they welcome a strike with wild eagerness and joy. They often, as in this case, become utterly uncontrollable by their leaders. On the night that the strike began, a great surging mass of men and women workers gathered in Orchard Street in front of the Union headquarters. Inside the hall the Executive Committee of the Brotherhood sat in session. The crowd grew more and more impatient for the Committee's decision. Finally a window opened and William Cohen the Committee's chairman, and now the head leader of the strike, looked down on the excited crowd.

"Vas es wrong?" he cried out. "Strike! Strike! Order strike!" was the reply shouted back from hundreds of throats. "Why would you strike now?" called back Cohen. "You have no demands yet ready. Wait till we can all go together!"

A great yell, mingled with angry execrations followed this counsel, and the crowd below seemed to lose its reason. Men shook their fists at Cohen, women screamed curses and pandemonium reigned supreme. Then came threats that they would break down the doors of the hall. This brought out the Executive Committee, who tried to reason with them. The moment they appeared, each committee man was seized and mobbed by the crowd. Mingled with curses were cries of "Lynch them, kill them if they don't order a strike!" After a pummeling from the infuriated Hebrews, Cohen and his associates escaped back into the hall and instantly signed the order for a strike. A newspaper which is the organ of the strikers says:

"The decision was not arrived at by the ordinary processes of reasoning. It was a wave of popular sentiment, which culminated in an overwhelming and irresistible desire to order strike at once. By something like mental telegraphy, a process of telepathy, apparently, this idea spread all over the East side."

The fundamental object of the strike is the abolition of the sweat shop system. William Cohen, the leader, thus defines it in a notice to the press:

"The men were driven to strike by starvation wages and the strike was an absolute necessity. The task work system, against which we have been fighting for years, was again in full blast. Men had to work fourteen and sixteen hours out of the twenty-four to earn \$1.04 and \$2 a week, and matters were growing worse and worse."

The demands as formulated by the strikers' executive committee, specify that fifty nine hours shall constitute a week's work, that only union hands shall be employed, and that weekly wages instead of piece rates shall be paid. Several contractors have already acceded to these reasonable demands. One of them has increased the wages of his employees 20 per cent., fixed the hours of work at nine per day, and substituted weekly wages for the old system.

There is no more awful feature of the industrial world than the "sweating system." Few forms of slavery have been more horrible. The sweat shop is little better than slow death to its inmates. Its workers must engage in a constant and desperate struggle to maintain a meagre support of themselves and their families. For hour after hour of a long and weary day their needles must fly continuously to earn a mere pittance with which to eke out another day's existence. The average sweatshop is close and unventilated. The workers hardly have room in which to move, and the light

is usually as bad as the ventilation. The women are old at twenty; the men are physical wrecks at thirty. Rheumatism and consumption attack nearly every constitution. The hours between toil are spent in cheerless, unhygienic homes. The moral conditions induced by such a system are indescribable. These are simple facts, uncolored and not exaggerated. If anyone doubts them let him visit any of the great East side sweat shops or the abodes of the tailors.

The sweat shop is owned and managed by the "contractor." He sells the finished clothing to the so-called "manufacturer," who in turn sells it to the retailer. Sweat shop workers look upon contractors as monsters, but as a matter of fact, the margin of profit which the contractor receives is small and his worst faults are that he is a useless institution, almost invariably crafty and densely ignorant, against whose profits the workers must battle. A few manufacturers employ or supervise their own labor. The contrast between such shops and the contractors' sweat shop is marked. Albert F. Hockett, president of the Clothing Manufacturers' Association, is one of these. He recently made the following statement which shows the superior condition of his works:

"At my place of business experienced girls make from \$5 to \$15 a week, which I do not consider very poor wages. Good sewers, operators and pressmen can earn \$20 a week, and cutters can make from \$15 to \$25 a week. Indirectly we employ 1,500 hands. About 150 are employed in our factory and we pay them ourselves. The others are dealt with through contractors. They agree to have our work done for stipulated figures, and they employ the people to do it."

The fundamental cause of the grinding down of wages is due however to the unrestrained competition of the clothing business as it affects contractors, manufacturers and retailers. It is a case where the many are benefited at the awful expense of the few. It is because the public are paying too little for clothing. There is little complaint that the contractors or retailers are bloodsuckers and that the receipts are not reasonably divided. The average retail prices of ready-made clothing in this city have been gradually reduced, until the average price for a durable and handsome business suit at the most reliable stores has reached as low a figure as \$12, while an excellent suit can be purchased for \$10, and few business men think of paying over \$15, for their suits of clothes for every-day wear. Many shops have decent suits as low as \$8. Such prices necessitate low wages among the majority of manufacturers. The logical outcome of this terrible competition will be a clothing trust, for while the effect of a trust is to reduce prices, it brings greater economy of manufacture, obviates the present constantly fluctuating prices, and inevitably brings steeper, higher wages.

The City and Suburban Homes Company whose objects and work have already been described in THE TOWNSMAN, has just held its first annual meeting. The report presented is of the most encouraging and satisfactory nature. As THE TOWNSMAN stated sometime ago, the company's purpose is to buy land and build houses for workingmen and others of moderate incomes, and sell these homes upon a monthly payment plan, charging six per cent interest upon the deferred payments and a life insurance, all of which will amount to no more than ordinary rentals of similar properties. Another object of the company is to provide model tenements in the overcrowded portions of the city, to bring light and sunshine into the dark corners and make existence more bright and wholesome. Its directors include many eminent New York men.

Since December first of last year the entire first issue of the company's stock, amounting to \$1,000,000, has been placed, the majority of the shares having been taken by small investors. Each share is ten dollars and there are 410 shareholders. Of this number 300 own fifty shares or less each and 185 own ten shares or less.

Applications for the Company's suburban homes already number 800. They come from clerks, mechanics, letter carriers, contractors and like classes. Three of the Company's building sites have been selected and purchased. One consists of nineteen lots on West Sixty-eighth and-ninth Streets. The houses on these lots are well along toward completion. They will contain 375 family apartments. The second site is on First Avenue and the third and largest is at New Utrecht, Staten Island. This last site contains 528 lots.

A. C. M.

Mrs. A. Ivesen, residing at 720 Henry Street, Alton, Ill., suffered with sciatic rheumatism for over eight months. She doctored for it nearly the whole of this time, using various remedies recommended by friends, and was treated by the physicians, but received no relief. She then used one and a half bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which effected a complete cure. This is published at her request, as she wants others similarly afflicted to know what cured her. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Arthur Bliss, Andover, Murphy's Drug Store, North Andover, C. H. Shattuck M. D., Ballardvale.

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AN HISTORIC TOMB.

The Last Resting Place of an Honored Family.

We take the following from a recent number of the Salem Gazette, concerning one of our old New England families, which will be of interest to many friends of the family, a branch which now resides in Andover.

The celebrated old historic Crowninshield tomb in this city, that has not been opened for more than a quarter of a century, was opened yesterday to receive the mortal remains of another descendant of the family, whose history is so closely interwoven with that of their country in its earliest decades, that one is almost a reflection of the other.

Not for warrior or statesman or philanthropist, however, was the old tomb door pried open yesterday, but for one who, although her lines had been cast in more modest places than her distinguished forbears, had yet lived this life worthily and well—Miss Ellen J. Crowninshield—whose body was laid at rest in this, the tomb of George Crowninshield, in the Howard street grounds after fitting ceremonies at her home in Andover, Mass.

In this old family tomb of the Crowninshields, which was built in 1807, are deposited the bodies of members of the family who have been famous in commercial and national affairs.

Here lies the body of Capt. George Crowninshield, founder of the Commercial House of George Crowninshield & Sons, b., August 8, 1734, died June 16, 1815, together with his wife (Mary Derby) Crowninshield, b., Nov. 12, 1737, died Nov. 26, 1813.

Here rests also the body of Capt. George Crowninshield, Jr., son of the above named, an old time shipmaster and merchant and builder, and owner of the celebrated Cleopatra's Barge, famous as the most magnificent pleasure yacht of her time.

Here, also, are the remains of Hon. Jacob Crowninshield, who was born in Salem, May 31, 1770, and died in Washington, April 15, 1868. He was a representative in Congress from 1802 to 1808, and at the close of his term was offered a seat in the cabinet of President Jefferson, but declined the honor. He was prominent in the Advocacy of the purchase of the Louisiana Territory; and in opposition to Great Britain, in the imprisonment of American seamen, and a firm defender of Jeffersonian principles.

The body of Benjamin Varnum Crowninshield, a son of Hon. Benjamin W. Crowninshield, who represented the Essex District in Congress several successive terms, who was Secretary of the Navy under both Presidents Madison and Monroe, during the war of 1812 and after, is also within the tomb, graduated from Harvard College in 1835 and died the same year.

Capt. John Crowninshield, and his wife, Maria Crowninshield, the parents of Miss Crowninshield, who was buried yesterday, are here with their kindred.

Bodies of others of this old, aristocratic Salem family are here placed forever. Aside from those mentioned this tomb has a most remarkable historic incident connected with it, which is of a national interest.

On Monday, August 23, 1813 a funeral observance took place in Salem, which was on a scale of unthought and imposing magnitude—the burial of Capt. James Lawrence and Lieut. Augustus C. Ludlow, who were killed in the memorable sea fight, between the Chesapeake and Shannon, which was fought off the shores of Salem, so near that it was viewed by hundreds of people from Legge's Hill, on June 1, 1813. Capt. Lawrence was only in his 32d year, but had before been distinguished for his bravery and skill. The famous expression of the dying hero will never be forgotten. After he had been mortally wounded, and when he knew that the enemy had carried the spar deck, he sent the emphatic message to the gun decks, "Don't give up the ship." Lieut. Ludlow was only 21.

The bodies of both were taken to Halifax, N. S., after the engagement. Capt. George Crowninshield projected the undertaking of going to that port and bringing home the remains of these heroes, and he fitted and provisioned the brig Henry, at his own expense, had her commissioned as a flag of truce and sailed for Halifax, N. S. on August 7 and returned on August 18. Vice President Elbridge Gerry was present at the funeral services. Business was suspended, a procession formed, and marched from India (now Phillips) wharf, through the principal streets, to the Howard street meeting house, where the funeral oration was delivered by Judge Joseph Story. At the close the remains were temporarily deposited in this historic old tomb, Rev. Mr. Henshaw, of Marblehead, performing the rites of sepulture. Capt. Peabody's company of artillery fired minute guns during the funeral ceremonies.

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ESSEX, ss.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all others
interested in the estate of Lovisa K. Kilburn,
late of Andover, in said County, deceased.
WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by David Kilburn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lawrence, in said County of Essex, on the fourth day of June, A. D. 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

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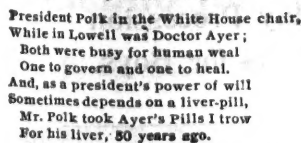
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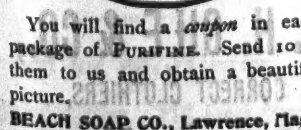
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Mr. Eben W. Powell, a well known citizen of this town, died quite suddenly at his home on Prospect street about eleven o'clock Wednesday. Mr. Powell suffered an attack of grippe last winter and has not been well since, but no one thought him seriously ill. The cause of his death was heart failure. Mr. Powell was about 66 years old. He leaves a wife and one daughter who now reside in Dakota.



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Dogs are playing havoc with the hen owned by parties in East Lynn. During the past few days over 50 hens have been killed, and the owners think the one animal is responsible for the wholesale death of their fowls.

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FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1897.

Editorial Cinders.

The "New Era" cooking school tore everything in the food line into shreds, as it were.

Mrs. Livermore is always eloquent and our citizens who fail to hear her Memorial Address on Monday next, will miss a rare treat.

Am I a democrat or am I a republican, or am I both, or either, for revenue only? A very pertinent query at the present time in Andover.

The farmer certainly has a "grass year" on his hands this time, but a little more sunshine would not come amiss for all other growing things.

"Old Glory" will hereafter float on Memorial hall on flag days. This bit of patriotism has been a long time coming, but is none the less welcome now it is in evidence.

It is a great pity that the march of progress should demand the destruction of those noble trees on Main Street, in Frye Village, but there was apparently no help for it.

Five hundred dollars for a safety valve is about the size of the P. A. class game explosion, last Wednesday. Inasmuch as it blew off within the bounds of their own precinct this year, the average citizen will not mind the extravagance.

Will the bicyclist ever learn the "law of the road"? We certainly will do our part to help him, as shown by the reprint again, in another column, of the rules that govern vehicles in the highways. There are thousands of bicyclists who can profit by a careful reading of that short clipping.

The Park Commissioners, though having only a small appropriation at their command, hope in the immediate future to open up a wood path for carriages through Carmel woods. Attention is called to a communication from them, in another part of this issue.

Law of the Road.

Section 1. When persons meet each other on a bridge or road, travelling with carriages, wagons, carts, sleds, sleighs or other vehicles, each person shall seasonably drive his carriage or other vehicle to the right of the middle of the traveled part of such bridge or road, so that their respective carriages or other vehicles may pass each other without interference.

Section 2. The driver of a carriage or other vehicle passing a carriage or other vehicle travelling in the same direction, shall drive to the left of the middle of the traveled part of the bridge or road; and if the bridge or road is of sufficient width for the two vehicles to pass, the driver of the leading one shall not willfully obstruct the same.

Section 3. No person shall travel on a bridge or road with a sleigh or sled drawn by one or more horses, unless there are at least three bells attached to some part of the harness.

Section 4. Whoever offends against the provisions of the preceding sections shall for each offense forfeit a sum not exceeding twenty dollars, and be further liable to any party for all damages sustained by reason of such offense; but every complaint thereof shall be made within three months after the commission of the offense, and every action for damages shall be commenced within twelve months after the cause of action accrues.

Section 5. The provisions of this chapter shall not apply to street railways.

Births.

In Andover, May 19, a son to Mr. and Mrs. David Bailey.

In Andover, May 24, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Leslie.

In Andover, May 24, a daughter to Mrs. and Mr. Robert Taylor.

In Andover, May 25, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Cheever.

In Andover, May 25, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. James Smith.

In Andover, May 24, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. James Smith.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

THE SPIRIT OF '76.

Correspondent writes on the Arbitration Treaty.

To the Editor of the Townsman:

I was delighted to read the communication on the Arbitration Treaty, printed in last week's TOWNSMAN, and rejoice that such truly American views found expression through the columns of your newspaper. I desire to correct a popular error regarding the opponents of the fortunately rejected Treaty, viz., the idea that those who did not favor the proposed treaty were actuated merely by a silly and sentimental prejudice against England. Opponents of the treaty have most grave and weighty grounds for believing that the British Government is an unit one with which to form any such treaty, or virtual alliance. Let the following facts be carefully noted:

England pledged her honor to 40,000 Armenians, and they have been massacred by the Turk. Under the excuse of abiding by the Treaty of Paris, England has aided the infidels against the Christians. The Treaty of Paris calls for the integrity of the Turkish Empire. Egypt and Cyprus are both parts of this Empire as defined in the Treaty of Paris to which England set her hand, and yet England is in possession of both! Moreover, the Lord Salisbury's Chancellor of the Exchequer has recently said that she means to stay. England has reaped many millions sterling by her broken faith in holding possession of Egypt and Cyprus in violation of the Treaty of Paris. Englishmen are rapidly extending their control of the Nile valley and are expecting many millions more of profits, and yet the Marquis of Salisbury has the audacity to excuse England's support of the Turk against the Greek by saying that she means to adhere to the principle of the Paris Treaty, the integrity of the Turkish Empire!

England has broken her faith, broken her contract, tarnished her name, and yet we are asked to make an alliance with her in the interests of "peace" and "humanity"! How can there be such lunatics? Alleged violations of the treaty between England and the South African Republic, have caused England to begin immediate preparations for the subjugation of the Transvaal. The questions for dispute are clearly matters for arbitration. President Kruger has made a very explicit proposition to the British Government, that they shall be arbitrated. Yet England goes on with her warlike preparations. Is she eager for arbitration? The spirit of England's dispute with President Kruger's Government is analogous to her dispute with Venezuela. Was the anxious to arbitrate with Venezuela? There is probably no government on the continent which will champion the Transvaal and compel England to resort to arbitration. Instead of coercion or war, the United States championed little Venezuela. Is England eager to arbitrate with the little Republic in South Africa, or does she prefer to crush the Boers as she easily can, and call their rich gold fields her own? Let us not soil our hands by a treaty with such a government.

BUNKER HILL.

Theological Seminary Anniversary.

The first of the local institutions of learning to close will be the Theological Seminary anniversary week beginning Sunday, June 6, with the baccalaureate sermon by Prof. W. H. Ryder, and closing with the graduating exercises Thursday June 10. The complete program follows:

SUNDAY, JUNE 6.
10.30 A.M. Chapel: Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

4.00 P.M. Sermon to the Graduating class by Rev. Professor William H. Ryder, D.D.

TUESDAY, JUNE 8.
10.30 A.M. Junior lecture room: Examination of the Junior class in New Testament Greek.

2.00 P.M. Middle lecture room: Examination of the Middle class in Biblical Theology.

4.00 P.M. Senior lecture room: Examination of the Senior class in Homiletics.

7.45 P.M. Chapel: Anniversary of the Society of Inquiry; Address by Rev. Charles Cuthbert Hall, D.D.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9.
9.30 A.M. Bartlet Chapel: Vocal Culture.

9.30 A.M. Junior lecture room: Examination of the Junior class in Hebrew.

9.30 A.M. Senior lecture room: Examination of the Senior class in Church History.

11.15 A.M. Middle lecture room: Examination of the Middle class in Theology.

7.30 P.M. Chapel: Meeting of the Alumni; Business: Necrology by Rev. C. C. Carpenter, Secretary; Discussion on "The State of Religion in New England," Rev. Charles B. Rice, D.D. Rev. Charles B. Rice, D.D. Rev. William E. Barton, D.D. There will be opportunity for general discussion.

7.30 P.M. Bartlet Chapel: Social gathering of the Alumni and other friends of the Seminary.

THURSDAY, JUNE 10.
10.30 A.M. Chapel: Anniversary Addresses by members of the graduating class.

1.00 P.M. Bartlet Chapel: Dinner, with the Trustees of the Board of Visitors, past members of the Board of Trustees and Visitors, Donors to the Seminary, Faculty and Alumni of the Seminary, Ministerial delegates, other Clergymen, Faculty of Phillips Academy and the graduating class.

Andover Flower Mission.

The many and beautiful flowers which were sent from the kind friends in Andover last summer, carried much of brightness and joy to the sad hearts that are all around us in this part of the city. The flowers were made into small bouquets and carried to the sick in the hospitals, the gloomy homes and to the old people who are unable to get out of doors. This is surely one of the services that the Master receives as done unto Himself. If those who send the flowers could see the happiness they give they would be eager to do even more than in former seasons. We have never had as many flowers as we could use.

In response to this appeal the Flower Mission will be resumed in Andover on Friday, June 4th. Flowers can be left at Mrs. Dr. Abbott's on Friday afternoon between four and six o'clock. It is requested that the flowers be tied in small bunches.

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No one sells shoes as we do—at the little price. Perhaps no one buys at the prices we do. Some of the bargains of last week will bear repeating now.

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1 lot Women's Russel Oxfords, 40c. instead of 50c.

1 lot Women's Black Oxfords, 40c. instead of 50c.

1 lot Misses' Russel Oxfords, sizes 11-12 to 2, 40c. instead of 50c.

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1 lot of Children's Black Kid Sandals, patent tip, fancy buckle, sizes 2 to 5, 25c. instead of 50c.

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Bowls to match, 10c. each.

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Cricket.

Saturday afternoon on the home grounds Andover suffered a severe defeat at the hands of the U. S. Bunting C.C. of Lowell, the latter scoring 102 for the loss of six wickets, while their opponents were all retired for 43 runs.

The Lowell men were aided in their run-getting by the poor fielding of the Andoverers, and had they accepted the chances offered, might have retired the Lowellers for less than the Andover score. W. Gath hit up 51 runs but he should have been out at 11. D. Hird had 27, gotten by splendid free cricket. For Andover, Haddon had top score with 12. Rhodes Pearson and Saunders also hit out effectively, the former having nine not out. The rest of the eleven added 4 runs. The score:

D. Hird, run out	51
J. Pearson, b. Saunders	27
T. Patrick, b. Pearson	12
W. Gath, not out	51
M. Greenwood, b. Saunders	16
F. Townsend, run out	4
J. Sullivan, b. Burns	1
A. R. Ramsdell, b. Hird	1
Leg Bye	1
Total	102

Mitchell, Asplin, Pearson and Burns did not bat.

ANDOVER.

W. Haddon, c. b. Haughton	12
J. Pearson, b. Hird	2
J. Porter, b. Hird	2
A. B. Saunders, b. Haughton	2
D. F. Bruce, b. Hird	0
W. S. Rhodes, not out	0
W. Lindsay, b. Burns	0
J. Hilton, b. Hird	0
J. MacDermott, l.b.w. Hird	0
J. Sullivan, b. Burns	0
A. R. Ramsdell, b. Hird	0
Leg Bye	1
Total	43

The Andoverers go to Lawrence to-morrow to meet the Merrimacks of that city. Last year the city cricketers won both games but Andover will endeavor to turn the tables to-morrow. The team is Bruce, Haddon, A. B. Saunders, Pearson, Scott, Sullivan, Rhodes, Lindsay, Kydd, Porter, McDermott, reserves, Wilkie, Hilton. The same team will play an all day game Monday on the home grounds with the East Boston club. Play begins at 11 o'clock.

The Arthur Brooks Memorial Cottage.

Among the many activities of the church of the Incarnation, New York City, of which the late Arthur Brooks, D. D. was rector, none was nearer his heart, or more constantly in his thought than the day nursery for the children of working women on the East Side.

Dr. Brooks' special desire was that there should be connected with this nursery a summer home in the country, to which the children could be taken during the hot months, for something more than a brief holiday, glimpse of greenfields and blue sky.

Such a cottage has been built at Lake Peekskill-on-the-Hudson, and presented to the church of the Incarnation by Mrs. John Byers, as a memorial to Dr. Brooks. It was consecrated May 18th with appropriate services, and will be opened in June for the use of the nursery. The cottage is beautifully situated, and is a most attractive summer home for the children.

The only remedy that will quickly reduce surplus flesh and at the same time build up the person's strength and vigor is Dr. R. C. Flower's Mucet. Price \$1.00. For sale by Geo. H. Parker, Druggist.

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BALLARD VALE.

Ballardvale Churches.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev.

ARTHUR L. GOLDER, Pastor. Services for Sunday, May 30.

10.30 A. M. Worship with sermon by Rev. Henry L. Oxbard, of Lawrence.

Sunday School to follow morning service.

2.30 P. M. Meeting of the Juniors.

4.00 P. M. Meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. Consecration meeting.

7.30 P. M. Patriotic music and Memorial address by the pastor.

7.30 P. M. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev.

C. L. ROBERTS, Pastor. Services for Sunday, May 30.

10.30 A. M. Worship with sermon by Rev. F. W. Klein, of Andover.

Sunday School to follow morning service.

6.00 P. M. Epworth League meeting.

7.30 P. M. Vesper service with 15 minute Memorial address by the pastor.

7.30 P. M. Tuesday evening prayer meeting.

7.30 P. M. Friday evening class meeting.

Sat. evening at 8.00 P. M. Choir practice.

H. F. Wilson was in New York City

this week on a business trip.

Miss Mary Barrett of Haverhill spent Sunday with her friend Miss Nellie Burke.

Miss Henrietta G. Field of Haverhill has been spending the week with her cousin Mrs. J. H. Smith, High Street.

Caleb A. Hayward of New York is visiting his father H. M. Hayward, at his home on High Street.

Rev. Arthur M. Shattuck and wife of Brookline, N.H., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son last Friday.

H. F. Wilson has purchased two peacocks which are very fine specimens of fowl.

William Mooney and John McDermot of Woburn spent Sunday with their friend Charles Perry.

Rev. Arthur L. Golder will preach at the Riverside Church, Lawrence, next Sunday morning.

George M. Fessenden and wife of Waterbury, Conn., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Fessenden, Andover Street.

James J. Bonner entered upon his apprenticeship in the wool shop of the Ballardvale Mills last Monday.

Nine members of Walker Lodge, Wilmington, attended the meeting of the local Lodge of Good Templars held last Monday evening.

William Shaw left town last Tuesday on a two weeks' trip through Oklahoma and Kansas in the interest of the Christian Endeavor Society.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Riley are receiving congratulations from their many friends because of a son, which was born this morning.

Charles A. Sperry leaves town to-day on a three years' trip through the West, where he will sell the famous "Sagwau Indian Medicines."

Mrs. Mary Maxwell and daughter Miss Mollie of Lowell were the guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scott, Andover Street.

Sherman Goodwin of the Bangor Theological Seminary, who has been spending several days in town returned to Freedom, Me., last Wednesday where he will preach during his summer vacation.

White Perch Cottage at Haggat's Pond will be opened for the season to-morrow. Our well known fisherman Horace S. Neal will be on hand, which will insure plenty of fish for a fine fish chowder.

Mrs. Kate P. Goodwin left town Wednesday to visit her sister in Dorchester.

Mrs. Goodwin's many friends all wish her a speedy and complete recovery of her former good health.

Otis G. White has received word that he is one of the heirs of a large estate in England and his lawyer gives him good reasons for believing that in due course of time he will receive his share.

While Dr. C. H. Shattuck and party have not yet returned from their fishing trip a dozen trout which would delight the heart of any fisherman have arrived and have been on exhibition at the drug store as a proof of their prowess.

While some may not wholly agree with us in the methods used in trying to impress upon our honorable Board of Selectmen the needs and necessity for the extension of the electric road to Ballardvale, nevertheless the so-called good quality "stick-to-it-iveness" everywhere manifested by the citizens of this section of the town in this matter cannot help but redound to the advancement and best interests of Andover, for whose welfare and prosperity no section of the town is more jealous and active than the people of Ballardvale.

One of the most successful strawberry festivals ever held in Bradley Hall, was given last Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Epworth League. There was a large crowd present. The enter-

tainment consisted of piano solos, dialogues, recitations, vocal solos, duets and singing by a quartette. While all parts of the entertainment were good and were thoroughly appreciated by all present, the vocal solos and recitation by Charles A. Sperry were unusually good and merited special mention. The proceeds of the festival netted about \$23, which will be used in repairing the church.

Arthur L. Winton, the 17-years-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Winton of Haverhill, who were formerly residents of the Vale, died at his home in that city after an illness of about ten days. The deceased had just successfully passed his examinations to enter the Haverhill High School, and his sudden death was a severe blow to his many relatives and friends, with all of whom he was a favorite. The sympathy of the whole community goes out to the bereaved family in this time of their affliction. Besides his parents, he leaves one sister, Jennie to mourn his loss. The funeral took place from his late home in Haverhill this forenoon. Interment in the family lot in Wilmington.

Athletics on Memorial Day.

The great athletic programme arranged for the meet at Charles River Park, Boston, on the afternoon of May 31, is certainly the most extensive that will be run off anywhere in the country on that date. It will be participated in by the most renowned athletes in the United States, as the management of the park will on that date give greater prizes than the men can find in any other meet in the land. The great broadsword contest on horseback between Jaguarina and Corporal High of the United States Army will be a genuine battle to the finish. Among the prominent runners will be Carroll, the champion of the United States from one to five miles; Rowe, the New England half-mile champion, besides other brilliant lights. Phil Stengl, the New England champion high jumper for four years, will give an exhibition of high jumping. The famous whippet race between many of the most noted dogs in the country, will be one of the great features of the event. The renowned Stevens brothers will give a balloon ascension, which will be an exciting scene. The cute Mascot midgem team of boys under eight years of age will give an exhibition of bicycle riding which cannot fail to be delightful to the spectators. There will be other features of special interest and, in brief, this event will be one of the greatest ever held in this part of the country.



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This year the attractions will be divided between Glen Forest and The Pines, each to play three days in the same week at both. The arrangements as to which half of the week Glen Forest will have the attraction has not as yet been decided. The list of attractions for the weeks beginning on the following dates are:

June 14—Boston Novelty Co.
June 21—Alabama Troubadours.
June 28—Vaudeville Stars.
July 5—Imperial Japanese Troupe.
July 12—Howard's Comique Novelty Co.
July 19—Gorman's Olympics.
July 26—Alabama Troubadours.
August 2—Gorman's Minstrels.
August 9—Specialty Alliance.
August 16—London Vaudeville Co.
August 23—Gorman's Minstrels.
August 30—Reed Birds.

Another general attraction is to be the Lowell, Lawrence & Haverhill street railway band, an organization of Lawrence and Haverhill musicians which will devote its entire time to Glen Forest and The Pines. On the three days of each week when Glen Forest has no stage attraction the band will give afternoon and evening concerts and will play at The Pines the other three days. In this way something will be going on at both groves every day in the week. The band will be under the leadership of Bandmaster Perkins who made such a success of the Haverhill city band season before last.

Arrangements are also being made for special attractions of considerable magnitude, Paine's fireworks being among the number now thought of.

There will be no changes in the buildings or grounds at Glen Forest and the only change at The Pines is the introduction of an electric fountain.

BAPTIST CHURCH MUSICAL.

Interesting Program at the First Baptist Church Wednesday Night.

A numerous congregation attended the musical by the choir of the First Baptist church, Wednesday evening. The event was well conducted and was a fine musical treat. The pulpit was very prettily decorated with cut flowers and potted palms for the occasion.

The program is as follows:

"Before the heavens were spread abroad," H. W. Parker (a. "Love's young dream," B. F. (b. "The sea hath its pearls," J. C. D. Parker Song, "The wind mill," J. C. D. Parker Motet, "Hear my prayer," Mendelssohn Solo by Mrs. Charles Kitchin. Duet, "Miss Alice Manahan, Edgar Barker. Part song, "The bee and the dove," Cowen Song, "Springtime," Becker Song, "Hear my prayer," Mendelssohn "Crossing the bar," Woodward Song, Chorus. Buck Part song, "Kathleen Mavourneen," Crouch Anthem, Chorus. Maker

The chorus was made up as follows: Sopranos, Mrs. Charles Kitchin, Mrs. N. Magoon, Mrs. Gardner and the Misses Alice Manahan, Burgess, Crowther, Robinson, Webb, Warburton, R. Buckley and Webb; contraltos, Mrs. Raymond Kitchin, Miss Sadie Morgan, Miss Lillie Morgan and Mrs. Grichen; tenors, T. Galaher, E. Barker, Charles Reese and Mr. Liversedge; bass, Messrs. Daniel Reese, Heald, Morgan and King. The ushers were Thomas Fairbairn and Charles Kitchin.

FREIGHT CAR WRECKED.

Bad Smash-up on Lawrence Street Wednesday Morning.

A freight car was badly wrecked at the Lawrence street terminus of the Boston & Maine tracks about 8 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The car was loaded with granite curbing and was the last one of a long train which was backed up to the end of the track on Lawrence street last night. This morning a dozen coal cars were shifted to the same tracks and they had considerable headway when they struck the other cars.

The shock forced a half dozen cars ahead and they crashed into the car laden with curbing. The end of the car laden with curbing crashed into the bums and was smashed into splinters, being finally brought up against an electric light pole which was bent over considerably by the force of the blow. The rear truck of the car was forced back to within a foot of the forward wheels. Half the deck of the car was rendered into kindling wood. No one was injured in the accident.

NOTABLE PROMOTION.

A Lawrence Mill Man Goes South to Accept Responsible Position.

Mr. Albert W. Dimick, who has been in the employ of the Atlantic Cotton mills for the past ten years, has been appointed agent of the Indian Head mills of Alabama. This is a new mill now being erected at Cordova, Ala., by Boston capitalists; it is to have 35,000 spindles and will cost \$200,000. The mill will be run entirely by steam power furnished from coal mined on the spot, and will employ about 1000 hands. Mr. Dimick is a son-in-law of Agent Sherman of the Atlantic, and gives rare promise as a manufacturer.

MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES.

Program at City Hall, Formation of Parade and Line of March.

The final arrangements for the observance of Memorial day in this city have been completed. The general orders issued by Commander Smith, and the order of exercises to be held in city hall Monday, together with the formation and route of the parade, will be found below.

The singing at city hall will be by the pupils of the Oliver school, under the direction of Miss McKone.

AT CITY HALL.

Following is the program of the exercises at the hall:

Song, "My Native Land," Rev. W. H. Marshall
Prayer, Rev. W. H. Marshall
Song, "In Memoriam," Rev. W. H. Marshall
Oration, Comrade Rev. Henry E. Barnes
Hymn, "America," with band accompaniment
Benediction, Rev. George H. Young

AT THE CEMETERY.

Prayer, Rev. J. H. Parshley
Bury, Rev. J. H. Parshley
Decorations of graves, Arlington Mills Band

THE PROCESSION.

The formation of the procession will be as follows:

Platoon of police, Captain M. J. Murphy.
Arlington Mills band, Frank Booth leader.
Company E, Captain Joubert.
Company L, Captain James Forster.
Battery C, Captain M. L. Steadman.
Sons of Veterans, Captain J. E. Sullivan.
Excelsior drum corps, E. Johnson, leader.
Nathan's Post No. 1, A. R. George, W. Smith.
Commander, G. E. Conover, E. J. H. Russell, J. V. C. Frank O. Kendall, adjutant.
J. G. McAllister, surgeon; A. M. Granger, O. M. S. N. Archer, Serg. to Major; R. F. Powers, chaplain; A. Stoddard, sentinel; A. F. Keat, Q. M. S.

First company, Capt. Melvin Seal.
Second company, Capt. G. R. Cilley.
Third company, Capt. O. S. Brown.
Fourth company, Capt. G. H. Bradley.
Fifth company, Capt. John Curran.
Sixth company, Thomas Donahue.

The route of the procession will be as follows: Form on Lawrence street, right resting on Common street, thence to Essex, to Jackson, to Haverhill, to Franklin, to Cross, where a halt of five minutes will be ordered, to Manchester, to G. A. R. lot; return via Manchester to Broadway, to Essex to Needham hall, where the line will be dismissed.

Captains are ordered to report to Adjutant Kendall at the lower gate of the cemetery after fulfilling their duties.

The exercises in city hall will begin at one o'clock and the oration will be delivered at 2 p. m. Directly after the exercises the parade will be formed.

APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN CLUB.

The Members Will Visit Lawrence and View the Merrimack.

The members of the Appalachian Mountain Club have arranged for an all-day outing on the banks of the Merrimack river, on Monday May 21st. The committee have arranged for a special car on the 9 a. m. from Union station, Boston, for Lowell. An electric car will take them to the corner of NeSmith and Andover street, from the Middlesex street station.

The walkers will then proceed along the banks of the river in the rear of Hood's farm to a point near the old ferry road leading to the river, where a halt for lunch is to be made. Proceed down still further until they reach Fish Brook where the A. C. A. are to encamp. The steamer Starlet Fawn will meet them there conveying them down the river and landing them at the Lawrence Canoe Club house, where a special committee of the L. C. C. will meet them and light refreshments will be served. They will then proceed to Boston on the 4:17 train at South Lawrence.

The club numbers about 1000 members many of whom are prominent in mountain exploration.

Harvey N. Shepard, the well known Boston lawyer, is the president, and among the local members are Chas. G. Saunders, one of the original charter members, Fred Wallace, Miss E. White and R. A. Hale. Excursions and walks are planned for each Saturday throughout the summer months and at holidays excursions are arranged for several days to distant points. Dublin, N. H., and Monadnock are to be visited, June 16 to 21, and other interesting trips are to be made. Copies of Mr. R. H. Tewksbury's interesting paper on the "Valley of the Merrimack River," read before and published by the Methuen Historical society are to be sent to members taking this walk along the river.

The Westfield (Ind.) News prints the following in regard to an old resident of that place: "Frank McVoy for many years in the employ of the L. N. A. & C. Ry. here says: 'I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for ten years or longer—I am never without it in my family. I consider it the best remedy of the kind manufactured. I take pleasure in recommending it.' It is specific for all low disorders. For sale by Arthur B. Lee, Andover, C. H. Shattuck, Ballard Vale, Murphy's Drug Store, North Andover.

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STRAWBERRY FESTIVALS.

Three Churches Held the Annual Feast Wednesday Evening.

Several strawberry festivals were held in the local churches Wednesday evening. The events were well patronized.

FREE BAPTIST CHURCH.

The annual strawberry festival of the Free Baptist church was held in the church vestry Wed. evening. Those in charge of the successful affair were Mrs. Nettie Stevens, Mrs. W. W. Colby and Mrs. O. J. Handlett.

The entertainment program was as follows: Banjo and mandolin duet, Miss Alice and Edith Martin; piano duet, Miss Alice Colby and E. W. Chase; reading, Mrs. O. J. Handlett; pantomimes, arranged by ex-Councilman John E. Barr; song, Norman Kilcup; reading, Mrs. F. W. Chase; song, Norman Kilcup; hypnotism extra ordinary, ex-Councilman John E. Barr.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

The Helping Hand society held an enjoyable strawberry festival in St. John's church Wednesday evening. Those in charge of the tables were: Candy table, Miss Evelyn Smith, Miss Ella Bonada, Bonnie Wilson; ice cream, Samuel Russell, George Butler, Russell Wright; strawberries, Miss Mary Dow, Miss Esther Smith, Miss Lilly Hodgdon, Miss Amy Crossland.

The following program was rendered: Mandolin solo, Miss Edith Martin; recitation, Miss Anna Remick; violin solo, Miss Jennie Kerr; solo, Miss Sarah Tanner; trio, Miss Brown, Miss Martin, Miss Bean of Essex school; duet, Miss Brown, Miss Martin; organist, John Hulme.

GARDEN STREET CHURCH.

The Ladies aid society gave a festival in the Garden street church Wednesday evening, the vestry being prettily decorated for the occasion.

The following program was rendered: Piano solo, Edgar Voss; reading, Marion Mosley; gymnastic exercises, 12 members of the German acting school; reading, Maud Warburton; solo, Norman Kilcup; reading, Florence Dawson; club singing exercises, members of the German acting school; solo, Norman Kilcup.

SCHOOLMASTERS' CLUB.

Officers Elected for the ensuing Year Yesterday Afternoon.

The Schoolmasters' club met in the high school building Monday afternoon and reorganized for the coming year with the following officers: President, C. M. Lamprey; vice president, A. W. Scribner; secretary and treasurer, A. H. Morrison; executive committee, F. W. Chase, B. M. Sheridan and H. J. Molloy. The committee has in charge the arranging of next season's program.

The Appalachian Club.

The Appalachian club of Boston has decided to spend its Decoration day outing in the vicinity of this city. The club will leave Boston in the morning and proceed to Lowell, where it will be joined by the Lawrence members of the club, who will go with them on their walk down the south side of the river and point out the historic spots. On their arrival at Laurel grove they will take a steamer to the club-house of the Lawrence Canoe club, where they will be entertained by that organization. Refreshments will be served and the visitors will board the 5.30 train for Boston.

Stable Sold.

The closing out sale of the back and livery stock of Stowell's stable, 299 and 305 Common street, was opened Tuesday by Auctioneer C. H. Hanson of Lowell.

George F. Goode of Lowell bought the lease and good will of the stable for five years, with the privilege of renewal.

Returned from Hospital.

W. H. Morgan of 308 Merrimack street has returned to this city much improved in health. He went to the Massachusetts general hospital April 30, where his right arm was successfully operated upon for tuberculosis. After spending two weeks at the Convalescents' home at Waverly he was discharged. The surgeons encouraged him in the belief that he will recover the use of his arm eventually.

It is a great mistake to suppose that a simple tonic gives strength; it only stimulates the stomach to renewed action. To impart real strength, the blood must be purified and enriched, and this can only be done by such a standard alternative as Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PROBATE COURT.
Essex, ss.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Samuel Phillips, late of Andover, in said County, deceased, Intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Edward E. Bradley, of Lincoln, in the County of Middlesex without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lawrence, in said County of Essex, on the fourteenth day of June, A. D. 1907, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

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Around the County

Almost a Centenarian.

Newburyport, May 25.—Gideon R. Lucy of Newbury was 90 years old today, and in informal observance of the occasion, many people from the surrounding towns tendered their congratulations. The children of the public schools called in a body, and were greeted with much feeling by the venerable townsman. Daniel Dole Adams presented the monogram with a purse of gold, and the Rev. Dr. Beane made felicitous remarks on the event.

Mr. Lucy was born in Deerfield, N. H., and came to Newburyport 73 years ago, engaging in the traffic of New England farm products with Boston, Baltimore and other cities, the business gaining large proportions. Later he established a large livery stable, and trained to the business J. M. Greenough, City Marshal Gardner, Moses Colman of Boston and many others.

Superior Court Cases.

Salem, May 25.—In the superior court in Salem, yesterday, Judge Bishop presiding, Patrick Welch of Lynn was convicted of assault and sentenced to nine months in the house of correction; James Scanlon, receiving stolen goods, 18 months in the house of correction; Mary Scanlon, Lynn, larceny from the person, 18 months in the house of correction; Herbert L. Burnham, Lynn, pleaded guilty of breaking and entering.

Retta Laraway of Lynn was convicted of larceny from the person, and sentenced to two years in the house of correction. Her victim claims that she put drugs in the liquor which he drank with her. Edward Laybold, her alleged accomplice, will have his case continued today.

Simon Hayes and Jeremiah Beronah of Middleton were convicted of breaking and entering and larceny, and sentenced to not less than three and not more than five years in state prison.

Edward A. Emmons, who robbed so many dentists' offices, was sentenced to 18 months in the house of correction.

Killed by a Shifter.

Lynn, May 24.—The horribly mutilated body of a man was found lying on a track in the Pleasant street yard of the Boston & Maine railroad at 7.30 Saturday night. A track walker stumbled over the body as he was walking through the freight yard. He endeavored to arouse the man but found to his horror that the head had been completely severed from the trunk. The police ambulance was called and the body was removed to a morgue, where it was later identified as the remains of Michael Kelly, 54 years old, and living at 120 Blossom street.

It is thought that Kelly was sitting on the track when a shifting engine sent a freight car down the track. The car passed over his body and completely severed the head from the trunk. Kelly was a sober, industrious man and leaves a wife and three adult children.

Fire at Newburyport.

Newburyport, May 25.—A general alarm at 10.30 a. m., yesterday, called the entire department here to fight a fire which broke out in the barber shop of C. W. Ladd, in the Washington Hall building, a three-story brick structure on State street. It was caused by the explosion of a lamp.

At 10.30 the building which is situated in the heart of the city and is valued at \$40,000, was doomed.

For two hours the department fought smoke and flames, and finally succeeded in confining the flames to the Washington Hall building. The total loss will reach \$20,000.

The heaviest sufferers among the occupants are the half dozen secret societies that occupied Washington hall. In it were kept their regalia and lodge room furnishings. A conservative estimate places their combined loss at \$5000.

A Bicycle Boycott.

Lynn, May 24.—A boycott has been declared by certain labor organizations of this city on five of the leading bicycles sold in this city. Printed cards are in circulation among workmen containing the names of the five wheels in question, and every one who has received one of these cards has been instructed not to ride a wheel on his list. It has also been urged that the influence of workmen be used to discourage the use of all wheels boycotted.

This action of the unions is understood to have been prompted by the belief that non-union labor is employed in the construction of the wheels placed on the blacklist.

Cases in Essex Superior Court.

Salem, May 27.—In the Essex county superior court, yesterday, Charles H. Gilbert of Lynn was sentenced to 15 months in the house of correction for assaulting Nellie Donlon in Swampscott. A verdict of not guilty was ordered in the case of Luitia Townsend of Gloucester, charged with maintaining a common nuisance. Ernest L. Cann was tried on charge of attempting to rob a money drawer in Saugus. Jury out at adjournment. The case of James Higgins, charged with larceny, was next opened, and was tried this forenoon.

Request for Missionary Societies.

Amesbury, May 23.—By the will of Timothy Pike, late of Salisbury, the American board of commissioners for foreign missions receive \$1200. The Congress and Home Missionary society and the American Missionary society receive \$1200 each.

Mother of Marshal Karcher.

Gloucester, May 24.—Mrs. Karcher, widow of John Karcher, who was for many years a prominent baker here, died of heart disease last night. She had not been in good health for some time. Mrs. Karcher was born in Nova Scotia and leaves several children, including City Marshal John Karcher.

The State Highway.

Amesbury, May 24.—The selectmen of Merrimack are in receipt of a letter from the Massachusetts highway commission informing them that the commission had appropriated \$5000 to build a state road in that town, and asking if the selectmen are instructed to act in the matter, if not to call a town meeting immediately to see whether the town or the state shall do the work. The selectmen issued the warrant today, and after the seven days' notice has expired a town meeting will be held to consider the matter.

The road as laid out will start at the town line at the head of Sawyer's hill and come down Main street. This will be a great benefit to the town, as the roads in that vicinity are always bad in winter.

Two Newburyport Men Dead.

Newburyport, May 24.—Howard P. Currier, aged 55 years, died yesterday, after a brief illness. He was well known in Essex county as a caterer and produce trader, and for many years owned a large fleet of yachts on the Merrimack. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity, was connected with several benefit associations and served in the common council three years. An aged mother and one brother survive him.

George Lacey died yesterday, aged 85 years. Previous to Thursday, when he was stricken with paralysis, he was seen daily on the street. He was an engineer by occupation, and for 40 years was employed by the Ocean and Whitefield cotton mills, retiring about 10 years ago.

Elected City Solicitor.

Lynn, May 25.—Both branches of the Lynn city council met last evening. In the upper branch, the special committee appointed to reduce certain salaries were instructed to make a report at the next regular meeting. The order embraces the salaries paid members of the board of aldermen, members of the public water board, board of health and similar offices.

In joint convention, called to elect a city solicitor to succeed the late Hon. John R. Baldwin, Starr Parsons was elected, receiving 26 votes of the 31 votes cast. E. T. McCarthy receiving 1, N. D. A. Clark 1, and 3 scattering.

Salem Council Meets.

Salem, May 25.—The Salem common council held a meeting last evening. An order appropriating \$30,000 for a trunk sewer on the harbor side of South Salem was offered and referred to the finance committee. The matter of a new high school was discussed for an hour and a half, but the only action taken was the adoption of a resolve that the council favored erecting a new building, provided acceptable plans and right were offered them.

A Patriotic Greek.

Haverhill, May 25.—Word was received yesterday of the death of John Prousiang of that city in one of the recent battles in Greece. Prousiang, with his brother, enlisted just before the war broke out, but the latter was struck blind while in New York and could not go. He is now with friends in Lowell. John Prousiang, however, kept on and landed in Greece about a week just after the war was declared. He fell in his first battle.

Struck a Snag in Danvers.

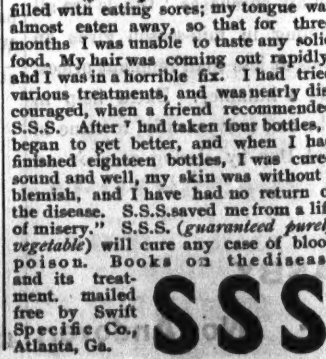
Danvers, May 25.—The telephone company has struck a snag in Danvers. The company wants to erect new poles in that town, and the selectmen tell them they can have no further privileges in the town until they settle with the residents of Newbury street for damage done when poles were erected there. The claim is that shade trees were injured in that street last year when the poles and wires were put up.

Blood Poison.

Contagious Blood Poison has been appropriately called the curse of mankind. It is the one disease that physicians cannot cure; their mercurial and potash remedies only bottle up the poison in the system, to surely break forth in a more virulent form, resulting in a total wreck of the system.

Mr. Frank B. Martin, a prominent jeweler at 926 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, D.C., says:

I was for a long time under treatment of two of the best physicians of this city, for a severe case of blood poison, but my condition grew worse all the while, notwithstanding the fact that they charged me three hundred dollars. My mouth was filled with eating sores; my tongue was almost eaten away, so that for three months I was unable to take any solid food. My hair was coming out rapidly, and I was in a horrible fix. I had tried various treatments, and was nearly discouraged, when a friend recommended S.S.S. After I had taken four bottles, I began to get better, and when I had finished eighteen bottles, I was cured sound and well, my skin was without a blemish, and I have had no return of the disease. S.S.S. saved me from a life of misery. S.S.S. (guaranteed purely vegetable) will cure any case of blood poison. Books on the disease and its treatment, mailed free by Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.



Fire Covered Robbery.

Haverhill, May 25.—It now appears certain that the fire which last week destroyed the residence of the Misses Contello at South Groveland was of incendiary origin and intended to cover a robbery. A search of the ruins has been made, but no trace can be found of a tin box in which the ladies had over \$1000. The remains of the gold watch were, however, discovered.

Salem's New School House.

Salem, May 27.—At the meeting of the aldermen last evening \$500 was appropriated for paying Bridge street and \$500 for repairs at the Cadet armory. It was decided not to petition the county commissioners to lay out a new street to Collins' Cove. An order offered by Alderman Cleveland, appropriating \$151,000 for a new high school, passed.

Dr. N. P. Allen Seriously Hurt.

Salem, May 17.—Dr. Nathaniel P. Allen of Beverly Farms was thrown from his chair on Bridge street last evening and probably fatally hurt.

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North Andover News

The stone crusher was set in motion Monday.

Mrs. Whitton has purchased a new bicycle of Agent Colby.

Mr. Denman Blanchard visited relatives in town on Sunday.

Miss Hattie Crosby of Methuen, was the guest of Miss Kittredge, Sunday.

Miss Marguerite Ames is in Boston with Mrs. S. E. Way for a week or so.

Herford Berry has returned home from New York on account of illness. He will remain until after Memorial day.

The interior of C. A. Newhall's house is being remodelled; Costello does the work.

Miss Minnie Phillips has been visiting her sister, Mrs. G. H. Mifflin, at the "Brush."

The Excelsior drum corps of Lawrence will furnish music for the Memorial day parade.

Mrs. W. A. Mariner of North Vassalboro, Me., is a guest at the home of Supt. Balaban.

Charles Cheever will spend the coming season in Colorado, instead of in town, as usual.

Mr. Hiram Goodhue of the south district, who has recently been quite ill, is out of doors again.

The perpetrators of the recent burglaries and thefts have not yet been apprehended by the police.

Joseph Greenwood who has been under treatment at the Mass. General hospital for knee trouble, is improving.

Edmund S. Colby has been spending a few days at the home of his parents in Gorham, Me.

Miss Flossie Stevens has purchased a new bicycle and has become a member of the Coedchewick Cycle Club.

Asa Gould of Meadow Brook Farm has purchased a new democrat wagon of S.D. Hinzman.

Miss Ida Smith, who was injured while coasting last winter, resumed her studies at the Farnham school, Monday.

Miss Minnie Phillips, who has been the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Mifflin, has returned to Salem.

Patrick Doherty's horse fell on Main Street Tuesday night and the shafts of the buggy were injured and portions of the harness broken.

The Ladies' whist club of Lawrence were graciously entertained at the residence of Harry R. Dow, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Smith rejoice in the birth of a daughter, whose arrival was announced Wednesday morning.

A new flag is needed for the staff at the Johnson High School to render the "fitness of things" complete.

The Red Stockings Jr. are soliciting the capital necessary to equip themselves with paraphernalia sufficient to adorn the diamond with a base-ball club.

H. B. Cleasby's store will be closed at noon Memorial day, so take advantage of the liberal discount offered you on purchases made at the mid season sale set forth in another column.

Mrs. James P. MacDonald, who recently observed her 85th birthday, has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Grush of Lowell, who is in her 70th year.

The damage allowed abutters in consequence of taking land for the improvement of Water Street will, if the improving keeps on, be hardly sufficient to meet the expense account.

Company L ranked first in the Eighth Regiment inspection recently and is one of the Companies detailed to do escort duty in the parade which precedes the dedicatory exercises of the Shaw monument in Boston, Memorial Day.

Rev. Mr. Hudson of Salem preached in exchange with Rev. Charles Noyes at the Unitarian Church, on Sunday. His sermon was exceptionally fine, being from Daniel 6:10. "His windows being open in his chamber toward Jerusalem."

Just what past the Overseers of the Poor play in dictating the policy of conducting affairs at the town farm appears to be a mystery. There is a report that a small group were loudly discussing matters and things pertaining to the town farm with the keeper, at the Centre the other morning.

A fire discovered in the wardrobe of the Davis & Furber painting department Tuesday night about 9 o'clock was the cause for a general alarm being sounded. The fire was kept within the tin-lined case and various employees were the only ones to suffer and their loss was but slight. The fire department responded but was not needed.

Mrs. Mary A. (Bixby) Black, wife of Joseph L. Black of Roseland, British Columbia, died very suddenly last Thursday after an illness of two hours. Deceased was born in North Andover, June 4, 1839, and was the daughter of Matthias Bixby, and a sister of Abner Bixby of town.

Manager William Smith of the Aetna base-ball club announces a championship game between that club and the Red Stockings to be played on the Grogan Field, Memorial Day morning at 9:30 o'clock. This is counted to be the local game of the season. In the afternoon the Aetnas will meet the Athletics of Haverhill in that city.

Fannie Hayes, Frank Laing, James M. Craig, were chosen delegates; Chas. W. Hinzman, delegate-at-large; Thomas Mitchell, Leonard Johnson, Albion Degenhardt, Isaac Leach, alternates to the convention of Good Templars to be held in Lawrence, June 17. The local lodge received and acknowledged invitations to a box party to be given by Longfellow Lodge at Haverhill, last evening, and also an entertainment to be given Tuesday evening by Red Spring Lodge of Andover.

Mrs. W. A. Endicott of Boston is a guest at the Prospect House.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Mifflin are to spend the summer months at Nahant.

On account of age the family horse at Clovercroft was killed today.

Officer Harris has been in attendance at court in Salem today.

Mr. Hill of Boston was a guest at the home of Robert Duncan, Tuesday evening.

The boathouse of John O. Loring has been unlawfully entered twice since Sunday.

Mrs. John D. Kimball of Charlestown is expected soon to re-open the residence of Charles F. Johnson.

Mrs. Allen Williams of Merrimackport has been visiting Mrs. Charles Poor of Weyden.

William Sutton and family are occupants of the Frothingham place for the season.

Mrs. Edgar R. Tucker is named as executrix of the will of the late James Brierly.

About 10 o'clock last evening several of our residents were startled by the pronounced shock of an earthquake, which continued about five seconds.

Mr. Waglands, who was recently injured by having his foot crushed on an iron planer at the Pacific mill, is recovering and expects to be able to work very soon.

Mr. Campbell of Lawrence who is instructing the students of Phillips Academy in the popular game of golf has been requested to lay out a course at Hillcroft this season, and to give private instructions regarding the game to the "hill" people.

A programme presented by the Y. P. M. L. S. S. at Stevens Hall last evening which interested those in attendance, included the following features:

Musical selections, Andover trio, Misses Anna Stone, violin; Julia Benson, piano; Stanley Pratt, cornet.

Duet, banjo, Handicap March, Chas. Travies, H. H. Hutchins.

Scarf drill, Misses Ella O. Smith, George Junibel Hoemer, Emma Bixley, Emily Driver, George Barker.

Song, Selected, Messrs. Travies and Hutchins.

Richard Field, J. Carrier, Edward Field, Albert Currier, Mark Williams, W. F. Moody, George Field, Lettie B. Barker.

Miss Taylor, Alice O. Smith, Annie Taylor, George Junibel Hoemer.

A few dances closed the evenings entertainment.

Miss Condon, a special teacher in drawing has been furnished with a full set of Prang's reproductions of famous art pictures, and although they are lithographs the general effect is precisely that of expensive photographs, and will be fully appreciated by all who understand the educational value of good pictures, and their aid in training the mind.

The pictures exhibited were 64x24 inches in size and include the Coliseum, Forum, Arch of Constantine, St. Peter and the Pantheon, of Rome; the Acropolis and Parthenon, of Athens; Notre Dame, Paris; the Caryatid Porch of Athens; St. Mark's Venice; Sphinx and Pyramids, Egypt; The Gleaners, Millet; Sistine Madonna, Raphael; and others equally meritorious.

The pictures are inexpensive and it costs nothing to look at them. A movement is on foot here as elsewhere to interest people, parents, guardians, committee and indeed anyone who has at heart the best interests of our children, and a desire to secure for them all the advantages accruing from refined and tasteful surroundings, and Miss Condon exhibited these beautiful lithographs to our townspeople who were interested yesterday afternoon from 4 until 6 o'clock and this afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock, at the Superintendent's office in the Bradstreet school.

Subsequent to a social hour, about 300 people of the Congregational Parish including friends, gathered at the festival board in the vestry Tuesday evening, on the occasion of the annual parish party. A pretty duet by Misses Saunders and Baldwin, brief words of welcome by Chairman Butterworth, representing the social committee, and grace by J. S. Sanborn, heralded the time of the feast. Post prandial exercises included the following features:

Invocation, C. S. Stillings, Remarks, Rev. Henry Elbert Barnes, D. D. Duet, "The Lord is my Light," Bessie M. Morrison of Haverhill, Miss Josephine Battles of town.

Reminiscence Talk, Joseph H. Stone, The "Sabbath School," George E. Hathorn, The "Y. P. S. C. E.," Arthur Bassett, Remarks, Newton P. Frye.

Scotch Ballad, "The Maid of Dundee," Mr. Morrison.

Violin Solo, "Romana," Miss Mabel Sharrcock.

Address, Rev. Dr. Barton, of Boston, Contralto Solo, "Ring Out Ye Bells of Easter Day," Miss Josephine Battles.

The Misses Mabel and Bertha Sharrcock of Lawrence were accompanists on the violin and piano respectively, for the vocalists, and the music of the voices and the music of the strings were in sweet accord. The pith and point of Mr. Barton's story were surrounded by a halo of wit which enlivened the exercises to a sufficient and healthy degree. The preparation and conduct of the affair was directed by Edward Butterworth, Mrs. V. B. Watts, Mrs. Moses A. Dow, Mrs. Butterworth, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Berry, Mrs. Halliday.

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Death of James Brierly.

James Brierly, 1st, an old resident and one of the best known and well-to-do farmers of the place, a man of honest purposes, thrift and integrity, died at his home on Prescott Street Sunday night about 8:45 o'clock, after an illness of bronchial trouble which had afflicted him for the past two years more or less severely, confining him to the house for the past month and to the bed less than ten days.

Deceased was born in Rockdale, England, 71 years ago, but emigrated to Andover some 65 years since, and a year later settled in the North Parish, learning the trade of a machinist. He afterward went to Fitchburg and was employed in the locomotive works and also worked at his trade a short time in South Newmarket, N. H. For the past 23 years he has owned and successfully managed the farm of his father, a portion of the Gayton P. Osgood estate on which he died, honored and respected by his townpeople. Eight years ago he was a useful member of the board of engineers, his mechanical knowledge working to the advantage of the town. Dec. 3, 1888, he married Mary Eliza Donelson of South Newmarket, N. H., who died about seven years ago. Four sisters survive, Mrs. Jonathan Wallwork, Mrs. Wm. D. C. Ellis, Mrs. Ellen France, Mrs. Edgar R. Tucker, all of town. Funeral services were held at the late home Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. W. E. Gibbs of the Universalist church officiating. Four nephews served as bearers, Thomas Wallwork, David W. Wallwork, Suther Ellis and Luther Ellis.

Will Honor the Dead.

Arrangements for Memorial exercises have been completed and Chairman M. T. Wadlin and Secretary Eaton of the committee expect the details will be carried out substantially as given:

Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock there will be public union services in the Congregational Church, and the programme will include the following numbers:

Voluntary, Frank D. Foster, Anthem, Rev. S. J. Johnson, Scripture Lesson, Miss Carrie L. Allen, Vocal Solo, Reminiscences of the War, Lewis & Clark, G. A. R. Song, "America," Congregation and Choir, Benediction, Rev. Henry Elbert Barnes, D. D.

The auditorium of the church will be decorated with the entire number of plants to be used Monday in decorating the graves of soldiers. Florist Playdon of Andover, in addition to this, will also furnish gratuitously palms, ferns and other greenery for interior adornment.

Monday morning at 8 o'clock the procession, consisting of the Sons of Veterans, a delegation of veterans from the Lawrence post with those from town, and the selectmen, disabled soldiers and sailors, clergymen in carriage, headed by the town police and the Excelsior Drum Corps of Lawrence will visit the cemeteries and perform the duties of the hour. In Ridgewood at the veterans' lot Rev. Edward Seymour Thomas of St. Paul's Church, chaplain of the day, will offer prayer.

THE ROUTE.

Formation on Main Street, right resting on Water Street. The procession will proceed through Water, Elm, Main, Prospect, Phillips Square, Salem, to Ridgewood Cemetery. Reforming, the return will be through Salem, to Andover down Main to Osgood, to Pleasant, to Cross, to Church, to Water Street, and disband at place of formation, where the visiting veterans will take the electric for Lawrence.

The Memorial Day committee who have charge of arrangements consists of M. T. Wadlin, chairman; Frank Eaton, secretary; D. A. Moulton, Warren Phelps, C. M. Sanborn.

The following program will be given at St. Paul's Parish House Friday evening, June 4, at a musicale announced by Miss Mary A. Lawlor, a pupil of Richard A. Redman, musical instructor. Mr. Redman will personally conduct the recital.

Piano solo, Pasquinade, Caprice, Gottschalk, Miss Mary A. Lawlor.

Violin solo, MR. GABOIGNE, Selected.

Sonata No. 7, MISS LAWLOR, Hayden.

Song, Spanish Gypsy, Watson.

Piano solo; Carnival of Venice, Herz.

Song, By the Fountain, Stephen Adams.

Symphonies, Allegro Larghetto, Beethoven, MR. REDMAN AND MISS LAWLOR.

Violin solo, Selected.

Nocturne No. 6, MR. GABOIGNE, Chopin.

Song, The Message, Davis.

Minuet, MISS LAWLOR, Faderewski.

Song, Forgotten, Eugene.

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There was a large attendance of the Neighborhood club at the house of B. Holt Farnum, Wednesday afternoon. Roll call was responded to by miscellaneous quotations. The life of Robert Louis Stevenson, and a selection from his work were read by Miss M. B. Berry and Mrs. S. D. Berry. Miss Grace A. Farnham read a poem, "The Countersign." Piano selections were given by Ethel Coolidge and Marion Rea. Miss Grace A. Farnham and Mrs. B. W. Farnum sang a duet: "The Old Familiar Places." The club will hold its next meeting at the house of Mrs. Albert Berry, June 9.

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Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	50.55
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	50,000.00
Stocks, securities, etc.,	20,190.00
Banking House, furniture, and fixtures,	45,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents,	15,944.71
Checks and other cash items,	80.91
Notes of other National Banks,	5,517.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents,	121.95
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, viz:	
Specie,	12,514.55
Legal-tender notes,	1,700.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury	\$14,214.55
(5 per cent of circulation),	2,260.00
Total,	\$309,233.66

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in,	\$125,000.00
Surplus fund,	22,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	5,100.04
National Bank notes outstanding,	45,000.00
Dividends unpaid,	260.00
Individual deposits subject to check,	120,022.44
Demand certificates of deposit,	1,273.30
Total,	\$309,233.66

State of MASSACHUSETTS, County of ESSEX, ss: I, J. Tyler Kimball, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. TYLER KIMBALL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of May, 1897.

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